

## **Watch By County Static Test Schedule**

### **Eastern Region**

**September 27, 2004    8 am – 1 pm EDT**

**Offices: CHS, CAE, ILM, MHX, RAH, GSP**

**Test Watches: Tornado Watch (8 am)  
Severe Thunderstorm Watch (10 am)**

**Special Test Objectives: CHS and ILM will extend the Severe  
Thunderstorm Watch in time (EXT) one  
hour (12 pm – 1 pm)**

**September 30, 2004    8 am – 12 pm EDT**

**Offices: PBZ, RLX, RNK, LWX, PHI, AKQ**

**Test Watches: Tornado Watch (8 am)  
Severe Thunderstorm Watch (10 am)**

**Special Test Objectives: PBZ will issue backup WCNs for RLX  
for the Tornado Watch**

### **Central Region**

**September 17, 2004    8 am – 12 pm CDT**

**Offices: DDC, GLD, ICT, SGF**

**Test Watches: Tornado Watches (8 am)  
2 Severe Thunderstorm Watches (10 am)**

**Special Test Objectives: SGF will issue backup WCNs for EAX**

**September 16, 2004    8 am – 12 pm CDT**

**Offices: LSX, ILX, PAH, EAX**

**Test Watches: Tornado Watch (8 am)  
Severe Thunderstorm Watch (10 am)**

**Special Test Objectives: AFWA will issue backup WOUs for SPC**

### **Southern Region**

**September 21, 2004 8 am – 12 pm CDT**

**Offices: LCH, OUN, FWD, HGX, SHV**

**Test Watches: Severe Thunderstorm Watch (8 am)  
2 Tornado Watches (10 am)**

**Special Test Objectives: OUN and LCH will add counties (EXA)  
to the Tornado Watch area**

**September 23, 2004 8 am – 12 pm CDT**

**Offices: AMA, LUB, EWX, SJT**

**Test Watches: Tornado Watch (8 am)  
Severe Thunderstorm Watch (10 am)**

### **Western Region**

**September 28, 2004 8 am – 12 pm MDT**

**Offices: TFX, BYZ, GGW, BOI, PIH, BIS**

**Test Watches: Severe Thunderstorm Watches (8 am)  
Severe Thunderstorm Watch (for BOI at 9 am)  
2 Tornado Watches (10 am)**

**Special Test Objectives: BOI will issue backup WCNs for PIH**

## **Make Up Dates**

**Tuesday Tests will be made up on Wednesdays**

**Thursday Tests will be made up on Fridays**

**Exception: Monday Sept 28 will be made up on Friday October 1**

**October 13 and 14 are left open to retest Unmet Objectives**

## CENTRAL REGION TEST OUTLINE FOR SEPTEMBER 17, 2004

\*\*\*THIS TEST WILL BE CONDUCTED IN TEST WWA MODE\*\*\*

7:00 am CDT- Offices put out a PNS stating that a WCN test will be conducted between 8 am and 12 pm CDT between SPC and their office, testing communications and product delivery.

~7:30 am CDT- SPC will issue a Meet-me conference call message and a WCL product. (WWA will plot the WCLs as "Proposed Tornado (WCN) Watch" in the WWA viewer/monitor) for portions of Kansas and Missouri from 8 am to 12 pm CDT.

**WFOs in the Watch Areas:** ICT, SGF, (*EAX see note*)

**Note:** SGF will issue WCNs for EAX in Service Back Up Mode

~7:45 am CDT- SPC Meet-me Conference call to coordinate which counties are in or out of the watch.

~8:00 am CDT- SPC will issue initial WOU (Tornado Watch).

~8:10 am CDT- Receipt of the initial WOU (or WOUs) in your local AWIPS. Forecasters will use the "WOU Ingest" GUI to convert WOU information into WCN or WCNs. Forecasters will select one or two WCNs to generate the text product. For example...

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WCNEAX

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709 PM CDT TUE JUL 13 2004

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THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HAS ISSUED SEVERE THUNDERSTORM WATCH 626  
UNTIL MIDNIGHT CDT WEDNESDAY MORNING FOR THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

IN EAST CENTRAL KANSAS THIS WATCH INCLUDES 3 COUNTIES

JOHNSON                      LINN                      MIAMI

IN NORTHEAST KANSAS THIS WATCH INCLUDES 4 COUNTIES

ATCHISON                      DONIPHAN                      LEAVENWORTH  
WYANDOTTE

IN CENTRAL MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 4 COUNTIES

COOPER	HOWARD	PETTIS
SALINE		

IN NORTH CENTRAL MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 10 COUNTIES

CALDWELL	CARROLL	CHARITON
DAVISS	GRUNDY	LINN
LIVINGSTON	MACON	RANDOLPH
SULLIVAN		

IN NORTHEAST MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 1 COUNTY

ADAIR

IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 3 COUNTIES

BUCHANAN	CLINTON	DEKALB
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IN WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 9 COUNTIES

BATES	CASS	CLAY
HENRY	JACKSON	JOHNSON
LAFAYETTE	PLATTE	RAY

INCLUDING THE CITIES OF ATCHISON...BOONVILLE...BUTLER...  
CHILLICOTHE...CLINTON...HARRISONVILLE...KANSAS CITY...KIRKSVILLE...  
MARSHALL...MOBERLY...OLATHE...PAOLA...SEDALIA...ST JOSEPH...TRENTON  
AND WARRENSBURG.

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~8:15 am CDT- WWA monitor window should display your WCN and neighboring WCN products. At this time you may delete the "Proposed Tornado (WCN) Watch" from the WWA viewer/monitor by highlighting the "Proposed Tornado (WCN) Watch" and then Hitting Delete.

~9:00 am CDT- SPC will automatically collect the field WCNs and generate a new hourly WOU.

~9:15 am CDT- Offices should **clear** a few counties from the Tornado Watches using the WCN. The WCN should be sent to ALL. For example...

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WATCH INCLUDE:

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ATCHISON DONIPHAN

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LEAVENWORTH WYANDOTTE

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**WFOs in the Severe Thunderstorm Watch Area: LSX, ILX**

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~9:25 am CDT- WFO Norman should **add** a few counties to one of the Severe Thunderstorm Watch using the WCN. The WCN should be sent to ALL.

~9:30 am CDT- SPC will issue a Meet-me conference call message and two WCL products. (WWA will plot the WCL as a “**Proposed Tornado (WCN) Watches**” in the WWA viewer/monitor) for portions of east Texas and western Louisiana from 10 am to 12 pm CDT.

**WFOs in the Watch Area:** FWD, HGX, LCH, SHV

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~10:15 am CDT- Offices should **clear** a few counties from the Tornado Watches and Severe Thunderstorm Watch using the WCN. The WCN should be sent to ALL.

~10:25 am CDT- WFO Lake Charles should **add** a few counties to the Tornado Watch using the WCN. The WCN should be sent to ALL.

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## **SOUTHERN REGION TEST OUTLINE FOR SEPTEMBER 23, 2004**

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7:00 am CDT- Offices put out a PNS stating that a WCN test will be conducted between 8 am and 12 pm CDT between SPC and their office, testing communications and product delivery.

~7:30 am CDT- SPC will issue a WCL product. (WWA will plot the WCLs as **"Proposed Tornado (WCN) Watch"** in the WWA viewer/monitor) for portions of west Texas from 8 am to 11 am CDT.

**WFOs in the Watch Area:** AMA, LUB

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COOPER  
SALINE

HOWARD

PETTIS

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CALDWELL  
DAVISS  
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IN NORTHEAST MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 1 COUNTY

ADAIR

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**WFOs in the Watch Area:** LUB, SJT, EWX

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Tornado Watch and Severe Thunderstorm Watch have been cancelled.

## **EASTERN REGION TEST OUTLINE FOR SEPTEMBER 27, 2004**

**\*\*\*THIS TEST WILL BE CONDUCTED IN TEST WWA MODE\*\*\***

7:00 am EDT- Offices put out a PNS stating that a WCN test will be conducted between 8 am and 12 pm EDT between SPC and their office, testing communications and product delivery.

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**WFOs in the Watch Areas:** GSP, RAH, CAE

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**WFOs in the Watch Area:** RAH, CAE, MHX, ILM, CHS

~9:45 am EDT- SPC Meet-me Conference call to coordinate which counties are in or out of the Severe Thunderstorm Watch.

~10:00 am EDT- SPC will automatically collect the field WCNs and generate an updated WOU for the Tornado Watch.

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~11:45 am EDT- WFOs CAE, RAH, MHX, GSP should cancel their remaining counties from the Tornado Watch and Severe Thunderstorm Watch. WFOs ILM and CHS will extend the Severe Thunderstorm Watch expiration time to 1 pm EDT for select counties and marine zones.

~12:00 pm EDT- SPC will automatically collect the field WCNs and generate a new hourly WOU for the Severe Thunderstorm Watch. SPC will issue a final WOU for the Tornado Watch.

~12:45 pm EDT- WFOs CHS and ILM should cancel their remaining counties from the Severe Thunderstorm Watch.

~1:00 pm EDT- SPC will issue a final WOU to notify customers that the Severe Thunderstorm Watch has been cancelled.

## EASTERN REGION TEST OUTLINE FOR SEPTEMBER 30, 2004

\*\*\*THIS TEST WILL BE CONDUCTED IN TEST WWA MODE\*\*\*

7:00 am EDT- Offices put out a PNS stating that a WCN test will be conducted between 8 am and 12 pm EDT between SPC and their office, testing communications and product delivery.

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**WFOs in the Watch Areas:** PBZ, RLX, RNK, LWX

**Note:** PBZ will issue WCNs for RLX in Service Back Up Mode

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**WFOs in the Watch Area:** RLX, LWX, PHI and AKQ

**Note:** RLX resumes normal operations at 930 am EDT.

~9:45 am EDT- SPC Meet-me Conference call to coordinate which counties are in or out of the Severe Thunderstorm Watch.

~10:00 am EDT- SPC will automatically collect the field WCNs and generate an updated WOUs for the Tornado Watch.

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~12:00 pm EDT- SPC will issue a final WOU to notify customers that the Tornado Watch and Severe Thunderstorm Watch have been cancelled.



## **WESTERN REGION TEST OUTLINE FOR SEPTEMBER 28, 2004**

**\*\*\*THIS TEST WILL BE CONDUCTED IN TEST WWA MODE\*\*\***

7:00 am MDT- Offices put out a PNS stating that a WCN test will be conducted between 8 am and 12 pm MDT between SPC and their office, testing communications and product delivery.

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**WFOs in the Watch Areas:** GGW, TFX, BYZ

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**WFOs in the Watch Area:** BOI, PIH

**Note:** BOI will issue WCNs for PIH in Service Back Up Mode

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LEAVENWORTH                      WYANDOTTE

IN CENTRAL MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 4 COUNTIES

COOPER                      HOWARD                      PETTIS  
SALINE

IN NORTH CENTRAL MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 3 COUNTIES

CARROLL                      CHARITON                      RANDOLPH

IN WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI THIS WATCH INCLUDES 9 COUNTIES

BATES                      CASS                      CLAY  
HENRY                      JACKSON                      JOHNSON  
LAFAYETTE                      PLATTE                      RAY

INCLUDING THE CITIES OF BOONVILLE...BUTLER...CLINTON...  
HARRISONVILLE...KANSAS CITY...MARSHALL...MOBERLY...OLATHE...PAOLA...  
SEDALIA AND WARRENSBURG.

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~9:30 am MDT- SPC will issue a Meet-me conference call message and  
two WCL products. (WWA will plot the WCL as a “**Proposed Tornado  
(WCN) Watch**” in the WWA viewer/monitor) for portions of eastern  
Montana and western North Dakota from 10 am to 12 pm MDT.

**WFOs in the Watch Area:** GGW, BYZ, BIS

~9:45 am MDT- SPC Meet-me Conference call to coordinate which  
counties are in or out of the Tornado Watches.

~10:00 am MDT- SPC will automatically collect the field WCNs and  
generate updated WOUs for the Severe Thunderstorm Watches.

~10:00 am MDT- SPC will issue an initial WOU (Tornado Watch) valid  
until 12 pm MDT.

~10:10 am MDT- Receipt of the initial WOU (or WOUs) in your local AWIPS. Forecasters will use the “WOU Ingest” GUI to convert WOU information into WCN or WCNs. Forecasters will select one or two WCNs to generate the text product.

~10:15 am MDT- Offices should **clear** a few counties from the Tornado Watches and Severe Thunderstorm Watches using the WCN. The WCN should be sent to ALL.

~11:00 am MDT- SPC will automatically collect the field WCNs and generate new hourly WOUs for the Tornado Watches and Severe Thunderstorm Watches. You should be able to call it up and see your canceled counties.

~11:15 am MDT- Offices should **clear** a few counties from the Tornado Watches and Severe Thunderstorm Watches using the WCN. The WCN should be sent to ALL.

~11:45 am MDT- Offices in the Tornado Watches and Severe Thunderstorm Watches should cancel their remaining counties using the WCN.

~12:00 pm MDT- SPC will issue a final WOU to notify customers that the Tornado Watches and Severe Thunderstorm Watches have been cancelled.